Mr. W. H. Hudson, Administrator Oconee Memorial Hospital Post Office Box 858 Seneca, South Carolina 29679-0858

Re: AC# 3-LLD-J4 – Oconee Memorial Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Lila Doyle Nursing Care Facility

Dear Mr. Hudson:

The accompanying report has been prepared by our office based on your Medicaid Financial and Statistical Report submitted to the Department of Health and Human Services for the cost report period October 1, 1993 through September 30, 1994. That report was used to set the rate covering the contract periods beginning October 1, 1995.

We are recommending that the Department of Health and Human Services certify an accounts payable for amounts underpaid as a result of the rate change shown on Exhibit A. You will be notified of settlement terms by that Agency.

If you take exception to this report in any manner, you have the right to appeal in accordance with the <u>Code of Laws of South Carolina</u>, 1976 as amended, Title 44, and Department of Health and Human Services Regulation R.126-150, and you must respond in writing within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of this letter. This written response must address the specific items in the report being appealed, and must be directed to the Appeals and Hearings, Department of Health and Human Services, Post Office Box 8206, Columbia, South Carolina 29202-8206. Any correspondence should include the control number appearing on Exhibit A of this report.

Thomas L. Wagner, Jr., CPA State Auditor

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cc: Ms. Brenda L. Hyleman

Mr. Jeff Saxon Mr. Mac Carroll

SENECA, SOUTH CAROLINA

CONTRACT PERIODS BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 1995 AC# 3-LLD-J4

REPORT ON CONTRACT

FOR

PURCHASE OF NURSING CARE SERVICES

WITH

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

December 21, 1998

Department of Health and Human Services State of South Carolina Columbia, South Carolina

We have performed the procedures described below, which were agreed to by the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services, solely to compute the rate change and related adjusted reimbursement rate to be used by the Department in determining the reimbursement settlement with Oconee Memorial Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Lila Doyle Nursing Care Facility for the contract periods beginning October 1, 1995 and for the twelve month cost report period ended September 30, 1994, as set forth in the accompanying schedules. This engagement to apply agreed-upon procedures was performed in accordance with the standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of the procedures is solely the responsibility of the Department of Health and Human Services. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

The procedures and the associated findings are as follows:

- 1. We tested selected costs or areas based on our analytical procedures applied to the reimbursable Medicaid program costs as shown on the Financial and Statistical Report for Nursing Homes, as filed by Oconee Memorial Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Lila Doyle Nursing Care Facility to determine if these costs were allowable as defined by the State Plan for Medicaid reimbursement purposes and supported by accounting and statistical records maintained by the provider. Our findings as a result of these procedures are presented in the Adjustment Report, Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days, and Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis sections of this report.
- 2. We recomputed the Computation of Reimbursement Rate using the adjusted costs and calculated the rate change in accordance with the provisions of the contract between the Department of Health and Human Services and Oconee Memorial Hospital, Inc. d/b/a Lila Doyle Nursing Care Facility dated as of October 1, 1994 as amended. Our findings as a result of these procedures are presented in the Computation of Rate Change and Computation of Adjusted Reimbursement Rate sections of this report.

Department of Health and Human Services State of South Carolina December 21, 1998

We were not engaged to, and did not, perform an audit, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on the specified elements, accounts, or items. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than the specified party.

Thomas L. Wagner, Jr., CPA State Auditor

Computation of Rate Change For the Contract Periods Beginning October 1, 1995 AC# 3-LLD-J4

	10/01/95- <u>09/30/96</u>
Adjusted Reimbursement Rate	\$83.08
Interim Reimbursement Rate (1)	81.77
Increase in Reimbursement Rate	\$ <u>1.31</u>

(1) Interim reimbursement rate from the South Carolina Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) Provider Rate Listing dated July 17, 1998

Computation of Adjusted Reimbursement Rate
For the Contract Periods October 1, 1995 Through September 30, 1996
AC# 3-LLD-J4

Costs Subject to Standards:	Profit <u>Incentive</u>	Allowable Cost	Cost <u>Standard</u>	Computed Rate
General Services	\$ -	\$ 65.72	\$40.58	\$40.58
Dietary		13.22	9.21	9.21
Subtotal	\$	78.94	49.79	49.79
Laundry/Housekeeping/Maint.	\$ -	12.14	7.21	7.21
Administration & Med. Rec.	91	7.46	8.37	7.46
Subtotal	\$ <u>.91</u>	98.54	\$ <u>65.37</u>	64.46
Costs Not Subject to Standards:				
Utilities Special Services Medical Supplies & Oxy. Taxes and Insurance Legal Fees		2.57 .47 2.53 .41 .36		2.57 .47 2.53 .41 .36
TOTAL		\$ <u>104.88</u>		70.80
Inflation Factor (6.30%)				4.46
Cost of Capital				9.33
Cost of Capital Limitation				(2.42)
Profit Incentive (Max. 3.5% of Allowable Cost)			.91	
Cost Incentive - For Gen. Serv. & Dietary			-	
Effect of \$1.50 Cap on Cost/Prof: and Cost Sharing	it Incentives			
ADJUSTED REIMBURSEMENT RATE				\$ <u>83.08</u>

Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1994 AC# 3-LLD-J4

EXPENSES	Totals (From Schedule SC 13) as Adjusted by DH&HS	Adjustm Debit	ents Credit	Adjusted
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General Services	\$ 1,706,491	\$152,145(1)	\$ -	\$ 1,858,636
Dietary	466,892	-	93,007(1)	373,885
Laundry	124,472	-	37,103(1)	87,369
Housekeeping	174,565	-	18,234(1)	156,331
Maintenance	71,054	28,723(1)	-	99,777
Administration & Medical Records	214,818	-	3,885(1)	210,933
Utilities	56,446	16,335(1)	-	72,781
Special Services	7,230	6,074(1)	-	13,304
Medical Supplies & Oxygen	71,242	248(1)	-	71,490
Taxes & Insurance	8,983	2,553(1)	-	11,536
Legal Fees	-	10,158(1)	-	10,158
Cost of Capital	234,281	115,118(2)	85,647(1)	263,752
Subtotal	3,136,474	331,354	237,876	3,229,952

Summary of Costs and Total Patient Days For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1994 AC# 3-LLD-J4

	Totals (From Schedule SC 13) as	Adjustmen	ts	Adjusted
EXPENSES	Adjusted by DH&HS	Debit	Credit	Totals
Ancillary	41,978	-	2,374(1)	39,604
Non-Allowable	40,755,650	24,014(1)	115,118(2)	40,664,546
Total Operating Expenses	\$ <u>43,934,102</u>	\$ <u>355,368</u>	\$ <u>355,368</u>	\$ <u>43,934,102</u>
TOTAL BEDS 79		TOTAL PATIENT	DAYS	28,283

Adjustment Report
Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1994
AC# 3-LLD-J4

ADJUSTMENT			
NUMBER	ACCOUNT TITLE	DEBIT	CREDIT
1	General Services	\$152,145	
	Maintenance	28,723	
	Utilities	16,335	
	Special Services	6,074	
	Medical Supplies	248	
	Taxes and Insurance	2,553	
	Legal	10,158	
	Nonallowable	24,014	
	Dietary		\$ 93,007
	Laundry		37,103
	Housekeeping		18,234
	Admin. & Medical Records		3,885
	Cost of Capital		85,647
	Ancillary		2,374
	To adjust costs to amounts per the settled Blue Cross/Blue Shield report HIM-15-1, Section 2300		
2	Cost of Capital Nonallowable	115,118	115,118
	To adjust Cost of Capital to allowable State Plan, Attachment 4.19D		
	TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS	\$ <u>355,368</u>	\$ <u>355,368</u>

Due to the nature of compliance reporting, adjustment descriptions and references contained in the preceding Adjustment Report are provided for general guidance only and are not intended to be all-inclusive.

Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis
For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1994
AC# 3-LLD-J4

Original Asset Cost (Per Bed)	\$ 15,618
Inflation Adjustment	1.9778
Deemed Asset Value (Per Bed)	30,889
Number of Beds	79
Deemed Asset Value	2,440,231
Improvements Since 1981	249,742
Accumulated Depreciation at 9/30/94	(<u>1,046,997</u>)
Deemed Depreciated Value	1,642,976
Market Rate of Return	.072
Total Annual Return	118,294
Return Applicable to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	-
Allocation of Rent and Interest to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	
Allowable Annual Return	118,294
Depreciation Expense	146,480
Amortization Expense	-
Capital Related Income Offsets	(1,022)
Allocation of Capital Expenses to Non-Reimbursable Cost Centers	
Allowable Cost of Capital Expense	263,752
Total Patient Days (Minimum 97% Occupancy)	28,283
Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$9.33

Cost of Capital Reimbursement Analysis For the Cost Report Period Ended September 30, 1994 AC# 3-LLD-J4

6/30/89 Cost of Capital and Return on Equity Capital Per Diem Reimbursement	\$ 2.92
Adjustment for Maximum Increase	3.99
Maximum Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ <u>6.91</u>
Reimbursable Cost of Capital Per Diem	\$ 6.91
Cost of Capital Per Diem	9.33
Cost of Capital Per Diem Limitation	\$(2.42)